

ABOUT HAND DISINFECTION

DISINFECT YOUR HANDS – SAVE LIVES

16 millions

PATIENTS PER YEAR DIE FROM HEALTH CARE ASSOCIATED INFECTIONS (HAI).³

THIS IS ABOUT THE POPULATION OF THE NETHERLANDS.

61 %

OF HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS DO NOT CLEAN THEIR HANDS CORRECTLY!¹

HAI

AFFECT 7 OF OUT OF 100 HOSPITALIZED PATIENTS IN EUROPE.²

EUR 7 billion

INCREASED COST OF CARE BECAUSE OF HAI IN EUROPE.²

50 %

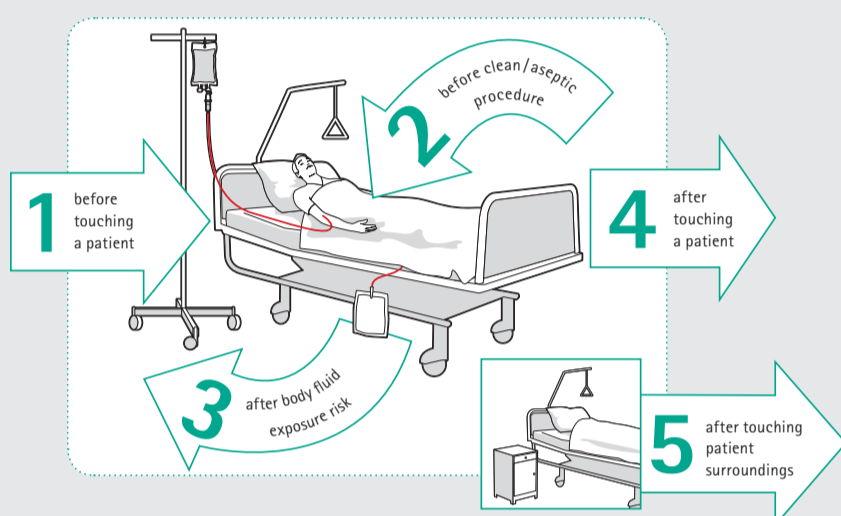
OF ALL HOSPITAL-ACQUIRED INFECTIONS CAN BE AVOIDED BY PROPER HAND HYGIENE.³

Sources

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WHEN TO DISINFECT YOUR HANDS

WITH ALCOHOL-BASED HANDRUB?



WASH YOUR HANDS AT THE FOLLOWING OCCASIONS:

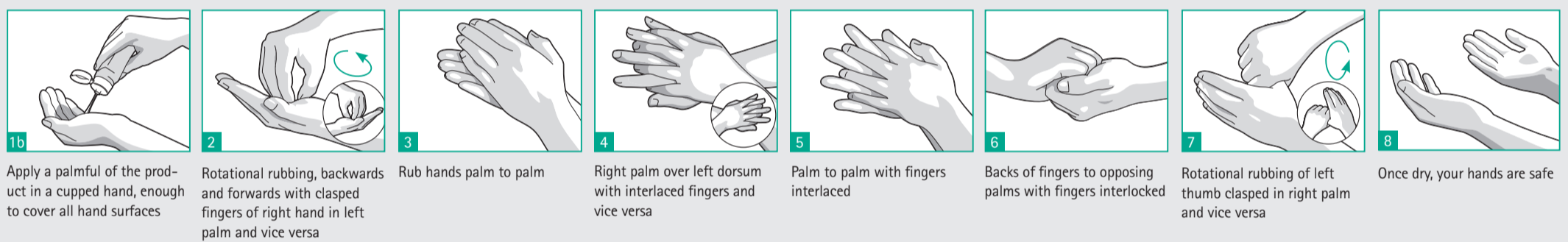
- At the start / end of the shift
- Before and after breaks
- If your hands are visibly dirty or visibly soiled with blood or other body fluids
- After using the toilet
- If exposure to potential spore-forming pathogens is strongly suspected or proven, including outbreaks of Clostridium difficile
- Before handling medication and preparing food

TRAIN YOUR SKILLS IN THE 5 MOMENT GAME:



<http://info.bbraun.com/5momentsgame>

HOW TO HANDRUB



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TAKE GOOD CARE OF YOUR HANDS

WHAT TO WATCH OUT FOR

<p>COLD Use hand cream when it is cold and the air is dry</p>	<p>GLOVES Don gloves only when hands are dry</p>	<p>ALCOHOL Do not apply handrub to wet hands</p>
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B. BRAUN HAND HYGIENE BUNDLE

KEEPING HANDS IN GOOD CONDITION IS AN ESSENTIAL PART OF GOOD HAND HYGIENE AND HELPS TO STOP THE TRANSMISSION OF INFECTION

INVEST IN QUALITY PRODUCTS IN ORDER TO KEEP COMPLIANCE HIGH

Cleansing

Softaskin®

The mild, low allergenic wash lotion:

- Skin neutral pH
- Free of alkalis, soap and colorants
- Optimized skin care formula with allantoin



Disinfection

Promanum® pure

Fast acting in any situation



Softa-Man®

For routine use with high quality skin care compounds



Softa-Man® ViscoRub

The unique liquid-gel formulation



Care

Trixo®-lind

The non greasy allergy-tested moisture lotion:

- Skin neutral pH
- Contains panthenol and allantoin to repair damaged skin leaving hands soft and supple



Protect

Vasco® Nitril white/blue

Powder-free examination and protective gloves

- Made from nitrile butadiene rubber
- Free of natural rubber latex

